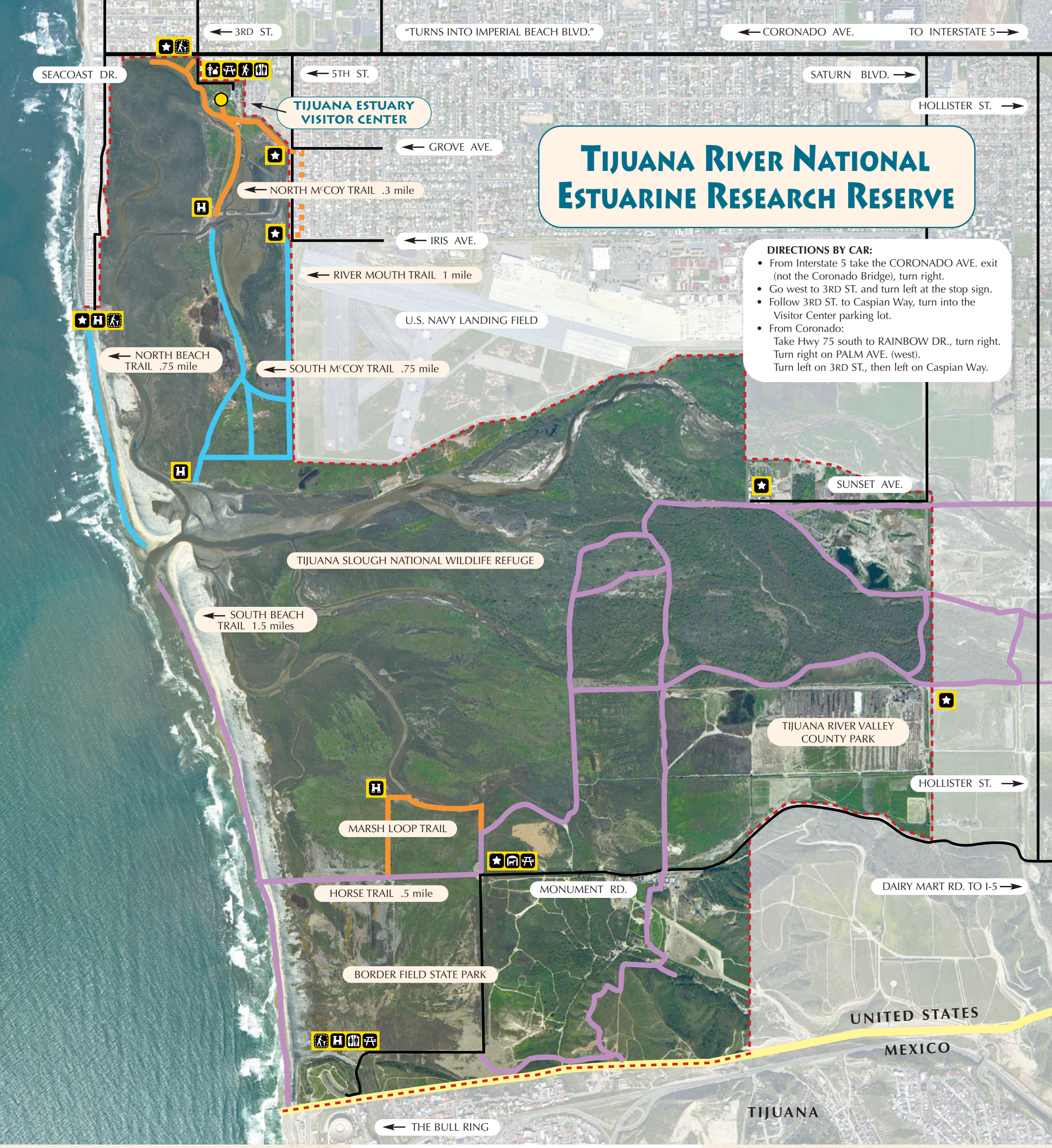

Tijuana River National Estuarine Research Reserve

DIRECTIONS BY CAR:

- From Interstate 5 take the CORONADO AVE. exit (not the Coronado Bridge), turn right.
- Go west to 3RD ST. and turn left at the stop sign.
- Follow 3RD ST. to Caspian Way, turn into the Visitor Center parking lot.
- From Coronado:
  Take Hwy 75 south to RAINBOW DR., turn right.
  Turn right on PALM AVE. (west).
  Turn left on 3RD ST., then left on Caspian Way.

OUTDOOR ETHICS

The animals and plants of the Reserve are here for everyone to enjoy, so please help us by following these few guidelines:

- Walk dogs only on the north beach and 5th and Iris trail. Dogs **must** be kept on a leash at all times.
- All plants, animals and physical features (shells, rocks, etc.) are protected and may not be removed or damaged.
- No weapons or fireworks are permitted on the Reserve.
- Please, no littering or dumping.
- Trespassing beyond special area closure signs is prohibited.
- Fishing, clamming, and shrimping are permitted from the beach area only.
- Use officially designated trails only for hiking, biking, dog walking, and horseback riding.
- Fires and camping are not permitted on the Reserve.
- Alcohol and drugs are prohibited on the Reserve.

While walking through the Reserve,
please respect the animals and their homes.
Speak softly, walk calmly, and stay
on the trails for the best view of wildlife.

- Reserve Boundary
- Foot Trails only, No Dogs, No Bikes
- Foot Trails, Bikes, Dogs with Leashes
- Horse/Hiking Trails, No Dogs, No Bikes
- Visitor Center & Picnic Area
- Entrance Points
- Interpretive Panel
- Picnic Area
- Restrooms
- Corral & Hitching Posts
- Viewing Area

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:
Visitor Center & Border Field State Park:
(619) 575-3613
Tijuana Slough National Wildlife Refuge:
(619) 575-2704
301 Caspian Way, Imperial Beach, CA 91932
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Reserve hours for trail use: 1/2 hour before sunrise and 1/2 hour after sunset. The Visitor Center is open 5 days a week.

"The National Estuarine Research Reserve System is a protected network of federal, state, and community partnerships which serve to promote informed management of the Nation's estuarine and coastal habitats through linked programs of stewardship, public education, and scientific understanding."

"The Mission of the California Department of Parks and Recreation is to provide for the health, inspiration, and education of the people of California by helping preserve the state's extraordinary biological diversity, protecting its most valued natural and cultural resources and creating opportunities for high-quality outdoor recreation."

The Mission of the National Wildlife Refuge System under the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is: "To administer a national network of lands and waters for the conservation, management and, where appropriate, restoration of fish, wildlife, and plant resources and their habitats within the United States for the benefit of present and future generations of Americans."